



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of)	
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N. Scot Hull)	Group Art Unit: TBA
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Serial No.: 10/781,328)	Examiner: TBA
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Filed: February 19, 2004)	Atty. Docket No.: 005127.00285
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For: FOOTWEAR AND OTHER FOOT-)	
RECEIVING DEVICES INCLUDING A)	
REMOVABLE CLOSURE SYSTEM)	
COVER MEMBER)	

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

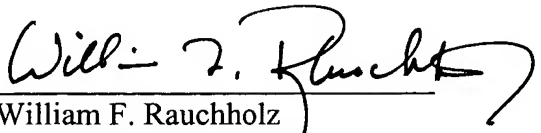
Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.56 and in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97, 1.98 enclosed is a PTO Form-1449 listing the document for consideration by the Examiner and a copy of the identified document. Applicant requests that the Examiner return the initialed PTO Form 1449 with the initial Office Action.

The submission of the listed document is not intended as an admission that any such document constitutes prior art against the claims of the present application. Applicant does not waive any right to take action that would be appropriate to antedate or otherwise remove the listed document as a competent reference against the claims of the present application. No

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certification or fee is required. However, if a fee is deemed necessary, the Commissioner is authorized to charge our Deposit Account No. 19-0733.

Respectfully submitted,

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U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

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FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

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